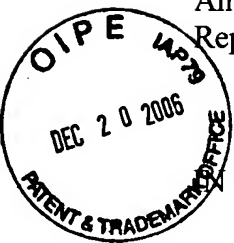


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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION SUMMARY

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office action of September 29, 2006 whereby certain claims of this application were rejected, and comments provided by the examiner during Office Interview November 30 , 2006, the applicant respectfully submits the following items:

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Appendix begins on page 15 ; including a clean print of all specifications, claims, and drawings.